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TO : Director of Training
FROM : Chief, Junior Officer Training Division
SUBJECT: Weekly Progress Report -- 11-17 September 1953

DATE: 17 September 1953

1. The reports for the two Junior Officers who took the full course on Russian imperialism given by S.A.I.S. have been received. Lieutenant [] received a grade of A in "International Communism and the Current Policies of the Soviet Union" given by Mr. Harvey and a grade of B+ in "The Theoretical Basis of the Communist Struggle for World Power" by [] J.O.T. [] received grades of A and B respectively in the same courses. Each of these J.O.'s audited "Background and Development of Soviet Foreign Policy."

2. J.O.T.'s [] entered the Navy O.C.S. Program on 14 September 1953.

3. The work of analyzing remarks made by Government representatives in Congress at various committee meetings is progressing satisfactorily. Mr. Oliver of OCI checks the results of each day's work the following morning and makes suggestions for the continuation of the work.

4. J.O.T. [] who entered the Army O.C.S. Program after transferring from EE, has failed the O.C.S. course because of lack of leadership qualities and is therefore excluded from the possibility of returning to the Agency until after he has completed his military enlistment. He does, however, have re-employment rights when he returns to civilian status.

O.C.S. Candidate [] sponsored by FE [] is reported to have failed the O.C.S. course and will continue his enlistment without returning to the Agency until he has completed his full military enlistment.

5. Attention is called to the omission in the previous Progress Report of the acceptance by the OTR Career Service Board of a plan for the promotion of J.O.T.'s while in training. This plan provides opportunities for promotion equivalent to those given people who enter directly into the work of the various offices of the Agency.

6. JOT [] has returned from sick leave. He will not be eligible for enlistment in the Army on the O.C.S. Program until about the first of December.

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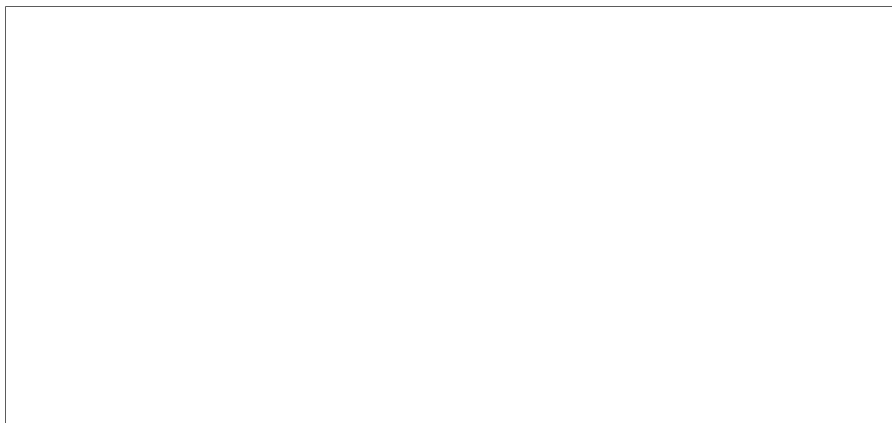
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7. J.O.T. [] has withdrawn from Program A being given at F.S.I. Although [] has made exceedingly good progress in this course, he has concluded that he wishes not to become a specialist in this area. He hopes to find other activity within the Agency more closely allied to his academic training, experience, and interest. For the time being he will assist [] in the work of the Basic Intelligence Course.

8. The J.O.T. Program was discussed in detail with [] who has recently joined the Specialized Recruitment Staff. He will operate []

9. [] who is the replacement for [] has discussed the J.O.T. Program and has created a generally favorable impression in the few days he has been working on this project.

10. Files of three prospective candidates were reviewed; interviews were held with five prospective candidates. It has been decided to request actions on the following men:



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